Drinking Water Programme under M.N.P. in Orissa

771. SHRI GAYA CHAND BHUYAN: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that the Drinking Water Supply Programme under M.N.P. in Orissa has not been successfully implemented during Sixth Plan period; and

(b) if so, what steps Government propose to take to improve the situation?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI CHANDULAL CHANDRAKAR): (a) and (b) The provision of drinking water is the responsibility of the States. The State Government have informed that during the Sixth Plan for drinking water supply under the Minimum Needs Programme an amount of Rs. 2908.38 lakhs was spent out of a total allotment of Rs. 2912.92 lakhs and 11,642 tubewells have been installed covering 9076 villages either fully or partially.

Anti-poverty Programme in Koraput District of Orissa

772. SHRI GAYA CHAND BHUYAN: Will the Minister of WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that the anti-poverty programmes have not benefited most of the tribal groups in the Koraput District of Orissa and as such most of the tribal people are still gathering food and live on articles like poisonous roots and tamarind seeds; and

(b) if so, what action Government propose to take in the matter?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF WELFARE (SHRI GIRIDHAR GOMANGO): (a) and (b) 1. The Tribal Sub-Plan covers the whole district of Korapur which has 6 ITDPs (Integrated Tribal Develepment Projects). During the 1980-84 period 32,930 families in Koraput district were economically assisted with an average assistance of approx. Rs. 1577 per family. During the Seventh Plan larger number of targetted families are to be economically assisted in Koraput District.

2. The primitive Tribes identified in Koraput are Bondo, Dongria Khond, Lanjia Souras. The number of primitive tribe families benefited during the Sixth Plan was 1341, with an investment of Rs. 57.95 lakhs.

3. Government propose to accelerate the development of the district by taking up a Special Compact Area Programme in specific vulnerable areas.

4. Special Schemes for shifting cultivators and forest villagers have been taken up with funds from Article 275 (1) First Proviso of the Constitution for which an amount of Rs. 175.00 lakhs to cover 5,630 families was released in 1984-85.

5. Special nutrition programmes under the Integrated Child Development Schemes are implemented in Koraput which has 2 ICDS blocks.

ग्रामीण विकास योजनाओं के लिए धनराशि

773. **श्री रामचन्द्र विकल** : क्या कृषि मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) सातवीं पचंवर्षीय योजना में ग्रामीण विकास की योजनाओं के लिये कितनी धनराशि का प्रावधान किया गया है;

(ख) उत्तर प्रदेश के लिये उपर्युक्त राशि का कितना प्रतिशत निर्धारित किया गया है; और

(ग) ग्रामीण विकास कार्यक्रमों के अधीन आने वाली वे कौन-कौन सी योजनाएं हैं जिन पर धन खर्च किया जायेगा?

ग्रामीण विकास विभाग में राज्य मंत्री (श्री चन्दूलाल चन्द्राकर) : (क) से (ग) ग्रामीण विकास विभाग द्वारा चलाई जा रही प्रमुख ग्रामीण

विकास योजनाओं के लिए सातवीं योजना में धनराशि का प्रावधान (केवल केन्द्रीय क्षेत्र का परिव्यय) इस प्रकार किया गया है: समन्वित ग्रामीण विकास कार्यक्रम–1186.79 करोड़ रुपया राष्ट्रीय ग्रामीण रोजगार कार्यक्रम–1250.81 करोड़ रुपया भूमिहीन रोजगार गारंटी कार्यक्रम–1743.78 करोड़ रूपया सूखा संभावित क्षेत्र कार्यक्रम 237 करोड़ रुपया मरूभूमि विकास कार्यक्रम 245 करोड़ रुपया केन्द्रीय क्षेत्र के परिव्ययों का राज्य वार आवंटन हर कार्यक्रम से संबंधित विभिन्न मानदंडों पर निर्भर करते हुए केवल वर्ष प्रति वर्ष के आधार पर किया जाता है ।

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Import of Foreign Films by Non-Resident Indians

775. SHRI M. KADHARSHA:
SHRIMATI SUDHA VIJAY JOSHI:

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that non-resident Indians are allowed to import foreign films for exhibition in India;

(b) if so, the names of films imported during the last three years (year-wise) together with the country of origin; and

(c) the names out of them cleared by the Censor Board for exhibition in the country?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI V. N. GADGIL): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Inclusion of Telugu Ganga Project in The Seventh Five Year Plan

776. SHRI M. KADHARSHA: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) what are the reasons that the Telugu-Ganga Project has not been accepted by the Central Government when it has been included in the Seventh Five Year Plan document of Andhra Pradesh;

(b) what is the estimated cost of the project and the amount of money that has been spent upto 31st October, 1985;

(c) what is the present stage of the work and by when it is likely to be completed; and

(d) what are the areas likely to be benefited by the project?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND): (a) The techno-economic examination of the project including the inter-State aspects is in progress in consultation with the State Governments of Andhra Pradesh, Maharashtra and Karnataka.

(b) and (c) The project is estimated to cost Rs. 637 crores as per the project report of the State Government. The expenditure incurred by the State upto 31st October, 1985 has not been reported to the Centre. However, as reported by the State, an expenditure of Rs. 62.58 crores has been incurred upto 15th July, 1985.

As the project has not been approved the question of the likely date of its completion does not arise.

(d) The project envisages conveyance of 15 TMC of Krishna waters from Srisailam Reservoir for Madras City Water Supply and irrigation to an area of 2.34 lakh hectares (5.80 lakh acres) in Kurnool, Cuddapah, Nellore and Chittor districts of Andhra Pradesh.